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THE following Addreſs from the County of *Stafford*, was preſented to Her Majeſty by *William Ward* and *Charles Bagott*, Eſqs; Knights of the Shire; being introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Lord Viſcount *Weymouth*.

*To the QUEEN's moſt Excellent Majeſty,*

The humble Addreſs of the High-Sheriff, Juſtices of the Peace, and Gentlemen of the County of *Stafford*.

May it pleaſe Your Majeſty,

*WITH the higheſt Tranſports of Joy and Gratitude we approach Your Sacred Majeſty, to Congratulate Your happy Finiſhing a Glorious and Succeſsful War, with ſo honourable and advantageous a Peace; and that Your pious Endeavours in reſtoring the general Repoſe of* Europe, *have been ſo fortunately applied, that Your Allies muſt acknowledge they owe the Benefits of this Bleſſing to that Queen that was the chief Support and Glory of the War.*

*Your Majeſty's Wiſdom, and the ſteddy Councels of Your Miniſters, have entirely defeated the Contrivances of wicked and deſigning Men, and added to Your Sacred Character the Bleſſing that attends the Peace-maker.*

*This, as it makes You ſole Arbiter of* Europe, *ſo it gives* Great Britain *thoſe Advantages of Trade and Commerce, that Your Subjects Cultivating the Arts of Peace, may now become as Eminent in the World for their Wealth and Traffick, as they have hitherto been for their Succeſs and Valour.*

*Nor inferiour to this Bleſſing is the Security Your Majeſty hath given us of a Proteſtant Succeſſion, which makes the Hearts of Your People the ſtrongeſt Guaranty of Your Perſon and Government.*

*We ſhall all in our different Stations endeavour to Calm the Minds of turbulent Men, and diſappoint the ſecret Deſigns of the Diſaffected.*

*And tho' we want Words to expreſs our Duty and Gratitude to Your Majeſty, yet we will never fail of ſending up our earneſt Prayers to Heaven for Your Majeſty's long and proſperous Reign over us.*

The following Addreſs from the Borough of *Leeds* in the County of *York*, was ſent up by *William Cookſon*, Eſq; Mayor, and preſented to Her Majeſty by *John Walker*, Eſq; Recorder; being introduced by the Right Hon. the Lord Marquis of *Carmarthen*, accompanied by the Right Hon. the Lord Viſcount *Downe* and Sir *Arthur Kay*, Bart. Knights of the Shire, with ſeveral other Gentlemen.

*To the QUEEN's moſt Excellent Majeſty,*

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen and Common Council, together with the Clergy, Gentlemen, and other principal Inhabitants of *Leeds*, in the County of *York*, met in purſuance of Her Majeſty's Proclamation of Peace with *France*, on the 12th of *May*, 1713.

*PERMIT us*, Dread Sovereign, *to lay at Your Royal Feet, our humble Tribute of the Joy wherewith Your Gracious Proclamation of Peace hath this Day filled our Loyal Hearts.*

*The wiſe Methods by which Your Majeſty hath proceeded, in procuring us this Bleſſing, will not end in the Admiration of this preſent Age, but will extend it ſelf to late Generations; but more eſpecially when they read, amongſt the Wonders of Your Reign, that the Old Enemy of Peace could find a Party, even amongſt Your Subjects ſo unworthy the Bleſſing, as not only to ſhew their diſlike of, but oppoſe their impotent Malice to Your glorious Deſigns.*

*The Security which Your Majeſty hath obtained for the* Proteſtant Succeſſion, *and the perfect Friendſhip You have cultivated with Your Illuſtrious Succeſſors in the Houſe of* Hanover, *are no ſmall part of the Victory You have obtained over Your Enemies at home.*

*And now that Your Majeſty's ſucceſsful Endeavours have adjuſted the Ballance of Power amongſt Your Neighbours, ſecured our foreign Trade, upon which thoſe Lives and Fortunes we owe Your Majeſty, ſo much depend; You have ſcarce left us any Publick Temporal Bleſſings to pray for, but Your long and eaſie Reign over us.*

*May therefore the* GOD *of Peace long continue Your Majeſty among us, to improve and enjoy all the happy Effects of this Your Peace: May You never want that Guaranty You only deſire, the Hearts of a loyal and faithful People: May Faction and Envy, and all their vain Efforts in impious Libels be ſuppreſs'd; and may that Faith and Church, whoſe Intereſt You ſo zealouſly eſpouſe, never want ſo pious a Defender.*

*This, as it ought to be the conſtant Prayer of all good Men, is of us Your Majeſty's moſt dutiful Subjects.*

The following Addreſs from the Borough of *Banbury*, was preſented to Her Majeſty by the Hon. *Charles North*, Eſq; their Repreſentative in Parliament; being introduced by the Right Hon. *Mountagu* Earl of *Abingdon*, High Steward of the ſaid Corporation.

*To the QUEEN's moſt Excellent Majeſty,*

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, High Steward, Recorder, Aldermen, Burgeſſes and Inhabitants of the Borough of *Banbury*, in the County of *Oxon*.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

*AFTER the Example of many of Your Majeſty's loyal Subjects, whoſe Hearts You have filled with Joy, we crave leave, in the moſt humble and*

*and dutiful manner, to express the Satisfaction and Pleasure we find in so great a Blessing as Peace, after a tedious and expensive War.*

*We can never sufficiently admire Your Majesty's great Goodness and Clemency, shewn by Your Invincible Resolution to perfect this great Work, whereby You have at once put a stop to so great an effusion of Christian Blood, secured the Honour and Interest of Your Kingdoms and Allies, and obtained new and great Advantages to us, by enlarging our Trade, nor yet Your consummate Wisdom in making Choice of such able and faithful Ministers, whose wise Counsels have so happily contributed to deliver us from the Snares, in which the Enemies to our Peace had so dangerously entangled us.*

*As nothing*, Madam, *gives a greater Lustre to Your Crown, than this entire Victory even over the Hearts of Your Enemies, so those worthy Patriots who have had the Honour to be employ'd by Your Majesty in this important Affair, now brought to so happy a conclusion, ought to be had in everlasting remembrance by our Posterity, to whom they will be shining Lights in the Paths of Loyalty and Virtue, in Times of the greatest Difficulty and Distress.*

*Your Majesty having so well secured the Succession in that Illustrious Branch of Your Royal Family, the House of* Hanover, *leave us nothing to wish but that Your Reign may exceed in Length as it does in Virtue any of Your Ancestors, never wanting such a Ministry, such a Parliament, nor Subjects, whose cheerful and inviolable Obedience and Loyalty, may express their Sense of so great Blessings: For this we shall always Pray and Endeavour:* And let the People say, Amen.

The following Address from the City of *Coventry*, was presented to Her Majesty by Sir *Christopher Hales*, Bart. and Sir *Thomas Gery*, their Representatives in Parliament; being introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of *Northampton*, Lord Lieutenant of the said City and County of *Coventry*.

*To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,*

The humble Address of the Deputy-Lieutenants, Gentry, Clergy, and Principal Inhabitants of the City and County of *Coventry*.

Most Gracious Sovereign!

*YOUR Majesty has shewn so much Goodness in Your Design of Peace, so much Wisdom in the Choice of Your Ministers employ'd to Execute that Design, and such uncommon Courage and Conduct in surmounting the Opposition which has been made to it by a restless and ungrateful Faction, that we beg Leave, with the humblest Duty, to Congratulate Your Majesty for Your Success in it, and pious Care to transmit the Blessing of it to Posterity, by Your effectual Provision for the Protestant Succession.*

*Your Majesty adorns the Throne with all the Vertues of the Best of even Your Illustrious Race, and with a Firmness and Resolution superiour to any of them; and therefore we do not wonder to find Your Majesty place Your Confidence in the Affection of Your People. We are sure that Confidence would never be disappointed, were all Your Subjects acted (as we hope they all will be) by the same Principles and Inclinations, which we presume to assure Your Majesty shall ever Influence us.*

*These we are Confident are the Sentiments of all Your Subjects, who have retained a Sense of their Duty to GOD and to Your Majesty: And as for others, they can never recover Interest or Credit enough to Oppose Your Majesty, or Distress Your People, till it shall be forgot how ill they have treated the Mildest of Princes, the Best of Churches, and the Happiest Constitution in the World.*

The following Address from the Borough of *Newark* upon *Trent*, was Presented to Her Majesty by *Richard Newdegate*, Esq; one of their Representatives in Parliament; being Introduced by the Right Hon. the Lord *Middleton*.

*To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,*

Most Gracious Sovereign!

*WE Your Majesty's most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Inhabitants of the Borough of* Newark upon Trent, *in the County of* Nottingham, *most humbly beg leave to Congratulate the Success of Your Majesty's Endeavours in concluding a General Peace.*

*We admire Your Majesty's Constancy in Overcoming the Difficulties You found in the Prosecution of the Treaty; and Your great Goodness and Wisdom in bringing it to Perfection.*

*We never could doubt Your Care of the Protestant Succession; and Rejoice to see the Attempts of those Persons so happily defeated, who would have disturbed the Quiet of their Country, by separating the Interests of of Your Majesty and the House of* Hanover.

*The many Advantages Your Majesty hath obtained for Your Subjects, in this Treaty; and the immediate Benefit they enjoy by the Peace, in lessening their Taxes in the most sensible Part, are Blessings entirely owing to Your Majesty, and call for the utmost Returns of Gratitude.*

*We most humbly Thank Your Majesty for Your Goodness, in depending on the Loyalty and Affections of Your Subjects; and do assure Your Majesty, That as we are all Sharers in the many Blessings of Your Majesty's Reign, we will be Unanimous in our Duty to Your Majesty, and contribute our Prayers and Endeavours, that it may be Long and Prosperous over a Loyal and Grateful People.*

The following Address from the Corporation of *Shrewsbury*, was presented to Her Majesty by *Edward Cressett*, Esq; one of their Representatives in Parliament; being introduced by the Lord High Treasurer.

*To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty,*

The humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of Your antient and loyal Corporation of *Shrewsbury*, in the County of *Salop*.

Most Gracious Sovereign!

*WE presume with great Humility to offer our sincere Acknowledgments to Your Majesty, for all the inestimable Blessings of Your Reign, more especially for the last great one of Peace.*

*We cannot sufficiently admire Your Majesty's Constancy and Wisdom, in pursuing and accomplishing so great a Work, notwithstanding many Difficulties and Opposition; and from the Experience we have had of Your Majesty's Goodness, and the Ability of Your Ministry, we doubt not but it is both safe and honourable, and that we shall be soon sensible of its good Effects.*

*We will steddily pursue Your Royal Advice, in cultivating the Arts of Peace, and discouraging the Enemies of it: Your Majesty's whole Life has been one continued Proof of Your Zeal for the Church of* England, *and the Interest of Your People, and we hope late Posterity will enjoy the Fruits of it, in the Succession of the Illustrious House of* Hanover.

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*May Your faithful Subjects long be happy in the beſt of Queens, and Your Majeſty long receive the cheerful Returns of an obedient and flouriſhing People.*

The following Addreſs from the City of *Norwich*, was preſented to Her Majeſty by *Robert Bene* and *Richard Berney*, Eſqrs. their Repreſentatives in Parliament.

*To the QUEEN'S moſt Excellent Majeſty,*

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Sheriffs, Citizens, and Commonalty of the City of *Norwich*, in Common Council aſſembled.

Dread Sovereign,

WE *Your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, humbly beg leave to approach Your Royal Preſence with the chearful Tribute of our unfeigned Thanks for the glorious and advantageous Peace, which Your Majeſty, under* GOD, *by Your vigilant and conſtant Application and Endeavours, and by Your great Wiſdom hath obtained, notwithſtanding the many evil Deſigns of Your Majeſty's Enemies to oppoſe it: In which Bleſſing will be ſecured to us and our Poſterity, the Church of* England *as by Law Eſtabliſhed, and the Proteſtant Succeſſion in the Illuſtrious Houſe of* Hanover. *And in the humbleſt manner,* moſt Gracious Sovereign, *we return You our moſt hearty Thanks for the particular Honour Your Majeſty ſo lately conferr'd upon us, by Conſtituting the moſt High, Potent, and Noble Prince,* James, *Duke of* Ormond, *our Lord Lieutenant, under whoſe wiſe and prudent Conduct we doubt not but the dark Deſigns of a reſtleſs* Faction *will be wholly diſſipated and extinguiſhed. Long may Your Majeſty live and enjoy the Bleſſings of this glorious Peace: And may You never want ſo wiſe, ſo diſcerning a Miniſtry; ſo loyal and dutiful a Parliament, as at preſent have the Honour to ſerve Your Majeſty in thoſe Capacities: Which are conſtant and unfeigned Prayers of Your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects.*

The following Addreſs from the Borough of *Stockbridge* in the County of *Southampton*, was preſented to Her Majeſty by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of *Barrymore* and *George Daſhwood*, Eſq; their Repreſentatives in Parliament; being introduced by his Grace the Duke of *Beaufort*, Lord Lieutenant of that County.

*To the QUEEN's moſt Excellent Majeſty,*

The humble Addreſs of Your Majeſty's Own loyal and ancient Borough of *Stockbridge*, in the County of *Southampton*.

May it pleaſe Your Majeſty,

WE *are deeply ſenſible how much we are in Duty bound, in all Humility, to approach Your Sacred Throne, to return to Your Sacred Majeſty our humble and hearty Thanks, for accompliſhing that great and glorious Undertaking, of the attaining and procuring Peace (after ſo much effuſion of Chriſtian Blood) for* Europe: *And eſpecially for taking that great Care of Your own Subjects.*

*The wiſe and gracious Speech Your Majeſty was pleaſed to make at the opening this preſent Seſſion of Parliament, muſt needs convince any gainſaying People of the hearty deſire and friendſhip Your Majeſty has in and for the Illuſtrious Houſe of* Hanover, *and alſo put a damp to the Hearts of all factious and diſloyal People, who have endeavoured to obſtruct ſo great a Bleſſing, as the Bleſſing (under* GOD) *Your Majeſty has with ſo great a Difficulty at laſt attained, and by which Your Majeſty leave us no room to doubt, but that* Great Britain *will ſoon be brought to a flouriſhing State.*

*We therefore, Your Majeſty's moſt loyal and dutiful Subjects, do ſincerely, heartily, unanimouſly and cheerfully aſſure Your Majeſty, that we will at all Times and upon all Occaſions whatſoever, exert the utmoſt of our Abilities, and contribute whatſoever lies in our Power for the preſervation of Your Majeſty's Royal Perſon and Government (whom* GOD *long preſerve) in oppoſition to all Diſturbers of Your Crown and Dignity.*

*And may* GOD Almighty, *that Father and Giver of Peace, bleſs Your Royal Majeſty with the long Enjoyment thereof here on Earth, and at laſt receive that peaceful Crown of Bliſs and Happineſs in the higheſt Heavens: Which is the hearty Wiſh and Prayer of us the Bailiff and Burgeſſes of* Stockbridge *aforeſaid.*

The following Addreſs from the Corporation of *Lancaſter*, was Preſented to Her Majeſty by *Robert Heyſham* and *William Heyſham*, Eſqrs; their Repreſentatives in Parliament, accompanied by *Richard Shuttleworth*, Eſq; one of the Knights of the Shire, and ſeveral other Gentlemen of the County; being introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Lord *Berkeley* of *Stratton*, Chancellor of the Dutchy of *Lancaſter*.

*To the QUEEN's moſt Excellent Majeſty,*

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Bailiffs, Capital Burgeſſes, Common-Council, Freemen, and other Inhabitants of Your Majeſty's Ancient and Loyal Corporation of *Lancaſter*.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

EXalted *with the higheſt Tranſports of Joy, we beg Leave to Congratulate Your Majeſty upon the wonderful Succeſſes that have attended Your Negotiations, and pay our juſt Tribute of the higheſt Gratitude for the moſt deſirable Bleſſing, wherewith You have enriched us, of an honourable and advantageous Peace.*

*Your Majeſty's conſummate Wiſdom and ſteddy Reſolution, the Courage and Abilities of Your Faithful Miniſtry, which have ſo happily defeated the deſtructive Deſigns of a deteſtable Faction, and brought Your Kingdoms through all Difficulties into a moſt flouriſhing Condition, claim our higheſt Admiration, and will be ever had in grateful Remembrance with Praiſe and Veneration by all Poſterity.*

*The Sufferings we have undergone in our Commerce during the War will be amply repaired by a Peace, which has not only revived, but enlarged the* Britiſh *Trade beyond the moſt aſpiring Expectation.*

*We are ſenſible that the Advantages thereof cannot be improved more effectually than by a due Care to* Cultivate the Arts of Peace, *and ſhall therefore, and with all Obedience to Your Royal Commands, uſe our utmoſt Endeavours to Calm the Minds of thoſe who have been miſled and diſquieted by the malignant Spirit of Faction; and to convince them, that it is both their Duty and Intereſt to embrace and follow the Principles of true Religion and Loyalty.*

*Your Majeſty's great Condeſcenſion in placing ſuch Confidence in the Loyalty and Affection of Your People, as, under* GOD, *to require no other Guaranty, muſt ſtill more engage not only us, but all Your Faithful People, to make Your Royal Perſon and Government as Secure and Flouriſhing for the future, as Your Reign in the preſent Adminiſtration has been Glorious and Succeſsful.*

*May the Great and Good* GOD, *who has bleſs'd Your Majeſty with Wiſdom, and crown'd Your Counſels*

with

*with Succeſs, long continue You the Honour of the* Britiſh *Diadem: And may that Day of univerſal Sorrow be long, very long deferred, when You ſhall reſign this Earthly Crown, and receive an Immortal one from the great Rewarder of Princes; and that which You now Adorn deſcend to that Proteſtant Head on which the Wiſdom of the Nation has placed it.*

The following Addreſs from the Corporation of *Bedford*, was Preſented to Her Majeſty by *Richard Willis*, Mayor, attended by *Edward Carteret*, Eſq; Deputy-Recorder, and ſeveral others of the ſaid Corporation; being Introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Lord *Bruce*, their Recorder.

*To the QUEEN's moſt Excellent Majeſty,*

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Lord Recorder, Deputy-Recorder, Aldermen, Bailiffs, and Common-Council of the Town, Borough, and Corporation of *Bedford*, in Council aſſembled; and of the Clergy and Gentry, and other Principal Inhabitants of the ſame Town.

May it pleaſe Your Majeſty,

*TO permit us, Your Loyal Subjects, to approach Your Sacred Preſence, with our moſt Sincere and Joyful Congratulations, on the happy Concluſion of the Peace.*

*In Reward of Your Majeſty's Vertues Heaven bleſs'd Your Arms with an Annual Series of Succeſs, during the late War. Every Year furniſh'd freſh Lawrels for Your Royal Brows: And what had not the Enemy to fear from a further Proſecution of Your Victories! Yet when ſuch Offers were made as would reſtore the Ballance of Power (the End of the War) as every Step further would have defeated the firſt Intention of it, ſo was Your Majeſty not averſe to liſten to Peace. And how Glorious has ſuch Your Conduct render'd You? What a Pattern of Piety and Moderation, Moderation in the Height and Career of Fortune (a Vertue then moſt rare) that could not be tempted by the Guſt of perſonal Glory to continue longer the Effuſion of Chriſtian Blood, or deny Your Subjects the Bleſſing of Peace: A Bleſſing long a Stranger to theſe Iſles; and yet while the Safety and Intereſt of the Publick made its abſence neceſſary, we bore it with Chearfulneſs. But that ceaſing, 'twas with utmoſt Indignation and Reſentment that we ſaw its Concluſion obſtructed by Factious Spirits at home, whoſe Crimes make Publick Troubles neceſſary to them for a Skreen: Or from thoſe abroad, whom Gratitude ought to have taught another kind of Conduct, than to Malign the Advantages Your Majeſty deſigned (and hath ſince obtained) for Your Own People, who had borne ſo long the Burthen of the War. And certainly thus Embaraſs'd, and amidſt ſo many Entanglements of Contrary and Jarring Intereſts as perplex'd the Treaty, nothing but Your Majeſty's great Genius, and the wiſe Conduct of Your* Preſent Miniſtry, *could have reſtor'd the Bleſſing to us.*

*But the great Work is accompliſh'd, Your Majeſty hath given Peace to* Europe, *and ſuch a one, as will for ever leave it a Doubt, Whether You acquired more Glory in the Courſe of the War, or in the Terminating it by the Peace: In which (beſides the juſt Satisfaction obtained for all Your Allies) You have done for Your Own People, ſuch Things, as will give a Figure in the World more conſiderable than in any preceding Age.*

*The Nations around, and all Poſterity, will ſurely envy us the Happineſs of ſuch a QUEEN; but what Returns ſhall we make Your Majeſty? We will redouble our Prayers and Vows, for the Prolongation of Your Auſpicious Reign over us: We will lay hold on every Occaſion to give freſh Proofs of our Loyalty and Gratitude; and in enſuing Elections we will exert our ſelves to the utmoſt, that this Your ancient Borough may be truly Repreſented, by ſuch as ſhall ſignalize themſelves in their Loyalty to your Majeſty, in their Affection to the Proteſtant Succeſſion, in their Oppoſition to Faction, and in their Zeal for the Church of* England *as Eſtabliſh'd by Law.*

The following Addreſs from the Borough of *Monmouth*, was preſented to Her Majeſty by *Clayton Milburn*, Eſq; their Repreſentative in Parliament; being introduced by his Grace the Duke of *Beaufford.*

*To the QUEEN's moſt Excellent Majeſty,*

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, Bayliffs, Common Council and Burgeſſes of the Borough of *Monmouth*, in the County of *Monmouth.*

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

*YOUR Majeſty's Reign, through the whole courſe of it, hath been moſt Auſpicious, and a Series of Benefits to Your People; Your Arms have been victorious, during a tedious War, and Your Councils proſper'd with Succeſs in the Negotiations of Peace; in which the greateſt Difficulties (though contriv'd to obſtruct) have been overcome by Your Majeſty's firm Reſolution, and prudent Conduct; whilſt You ſteddily purſued the Intereſt of Your Kingdoms, and Your faithful Miniſters ſhew'd their Abilities equal to that important Affair, and themſelves true Patriots, and Lovers of their Country; from whence (by GOD's Bleſſing) the Miſeries of War are happily ended, and the long deſir'd Voice of* Peace, *is reſtor'd to our Dwellings*

*The great Things which Your Majeſty hath done for our Safety and Welfare, and for ſecuring the Proteſtant Religion and Succeſſion, muſt be acknowledg'd with our utmoſt Expreſſions of Gratitude, and will be Monuments of Your Goodneſs to all future Ages.*

*The perfect Friendſhip between Your Majeſty and the Houſe of* Hanover, *adds much to the Satisfaction of all, who ſincerely deſire that our Conſtitution ſhould be preſerv'd (as by Law Eſtabliſhed) in Church and State; and we hope that Men of evil Deſigns, will never be able to divide You, or to ſparate Your Intereſts.*

*We pray, That Your Majeſty's Government may long be continued in the greateſt Glory, Peace and Happineſs, and that GOD will ſo calm the Minds and unite the Hearts of all Your Subjects, that (Jealouſies being extinguiſhed, and Factions ceaſed) there may be no Emulation amongſt them, but who ſhall be moſt Dutiful and Loyal to the beſt of* Sovereigns.

The following Addreſs from the Corporation of *Northampton*, was Preſented to Her Majeſty by *William Wykes*, Eſq; one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament; being Introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of *Northampton.*

*To the QUEEN's moſt Excellent Majeſty,*

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, the Rt. Hon. the Recorder, Deputy-Recorder, Aldermen, Bailiffs, and Burgeſſes of Your Majeſty's ancient Corporation of *Northampton.*

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

*WE Your Majeſty's moſt Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, after our many Congratulations upon the Succeſs of Your Victorious Arms, beg Leave to Approach*

*Your*

*Your Royal Perſon with our higheſt Gratitude and Joy, upon this more happy Occaſion the Concluſion of an honourable and advantageous Peace.*

*By the firſt, Your Majeſty delivered us from the Attempts of our Foreign Enemies; but by the laſt, from the more dangerous Deſigns of our Domeſtick Ones: A few, who through Intereſt or Ambition ſo far miſled many of Your Good Subjects, that thoſe Victories, in order to procure this glorious End, a* Peace, *became the Argument for the Continuance of an expenſive and bloody War; ſo that the greater Progreſs we made in the Means, the further we were from obtaining the End.*

*The unparallell'd Wi dom and Conduct of Your Majeſty and Miniſtry, in overcoming all Diffi ulties, will be celebrated by After-Ages, who equally with our ſelves muſt be ſenſible thereof; and even thoſe miſled People cannot but conſent with us to be happy, by admitting into their Breaſts the Peace recommended by Your Majeſty, when they ſhall Experience the bleſſed Effects of that of their Country, delivered from the Burden it groan'd under, and for the future ſecured in its Rights, Liberties and Religion, by the ſure and certain Proſpect of the Proteſtant Succeſſion in the Illuſtrious Houſe of* Ha nover.

*But that this may long remain in Expectancy, while we actually enjoy the greater Bleſſing of Your Majeſty's moſt Auſpicious Reign, is the hearty Prayer of us Your Majeſty's moſt Obedient Subjects.*

Which Addreſſes Her Majeſty received very graciouſly.

*Warſaw, May* 17. *N. S.* The Emperor's Miniſter hath had an Audience of King Auguſtus, in which he delivered ſome Propoſals in Writing, to engage him to aſſiſt his Imperial Majeſty againſt France. It is ſaid a new Diet of the Kingdom will be held in a ſhort time, to conſider of the preſent poſture of Affairs. The Staroſte Bobruiski is arrived in the neighbourhood of this Place, and waits for leave to come into the Town, that he may throw himſelf at the King's Feet, in order to obtain his Pardon. The Turkiſh and Tartarian Envoys went from hence a few Days ago towards their own Countries, and at the ſame time the King ſent an Officer with Preſents to the Grand Vizir, conſiſting chiefly of Saxon Manufactures. Letters from Caminiec bring an Account, that the Vizir had been in Conference with the Muſcovite Miniſters, who were arrived at Adrianople, and it is ſaid they had made a new Treaty to confirm the Peace between the Grand Signior and the Czar.

*Hamburg, June* 2. *N. S.* We have received Advice, That Prince Menzikoff is at laſt reſolved to take the Route which the King of Denmark ſent him by Commiſſary General Platen; notwithſtanding which, the Inhabitants of Krempermarche were obliged to pay that Prince a conſiderable Sum of Money for not paſſing through their Lands. His Daniſh Majeſty hath ſent Expreſſes to the Czar and King Auguſtus, with Complaints againſt their Generals; and it is ſaid Count Flemming hath already received a ſevere Reprimand from the King his Maſter. Monſieur Seeſtedt and Monſieur Crabbe are come from Copenhagen, together with Monſieur Wibe, to compoſe the King of Denmark's Privy-Council. The Adminiſtrator of Holſtein's Family is order'd to remove from the Caſtle of Gottorp, his Majeſty being reſolved to reſide there himſelf this Summer, and he hath already named the Miniſters who are to be Regents of that Dutchy. The Blockade of Tonningen is ſtill continued, and that Fortreſs is now ſhut up more cloſely than it had been hitherto. An Edict hath likewiſe been publiſh'd, forbidding all Perſons from carrying Proviſions into the Town, upon pain of Death. We are informed that Prince Eugene of Savoy ſet out from Vienna on the 18th paſt, and on the 25th he arrived at the Army on the Rhine. Letters from Berlin bring an account, that Count Schonborn had left that Court, without having obtained from the King of Pruſſia more Force than his Contingent, which amounts to Six thouſand Men.

*Paris, June* 3. *N. S.* On the 23d paſt, Mareſchal Villars ſet out towards Strasburg, where they are preparing a Train of Artillery of above One hundred Pieces of Cannon, and Bridges are building, that it may be carry'd over the Rhine, with the Army that is to act on the other ſide of that River. The Germans are likewiſe making great Preparations, and give out, that they ſhall have an hundred thouſand Men in the Field, the Diet of the Circles aſſembled at Hailborn, having reſolved to continue the War in conjunction with the Emperor, whom they will aſſiſt to the utmoſt of their Power. On the 28th, Te Deum was Sung for the Peace in the Abby of St. Germains des Prez. Cardinal d'Etree, who commonly reſides there, aſſiſted at it, and at Night he gave a Firework, an Entertainment and a Ball to ſeveral Perſons of Quality. The Duke of Shrewsbury is to make his Publick Entry on Trinity Sunday the 11th Inſtant, and on the 13th he is to have his Audience of the King at Verſailles. Mareſchal d'Harcourt is almoſt recovered of his Indiſpoſition, and intends in a ſhort time to go to the Waters of Bourbon.

*Utrecht, June* 6. *N. S.* On the 4th Inſtant the Marquis de Monteleone, one of the Plenipotentiaries of his Catholick Majeſty, arrived here from Great Britain, and the next Morning he notified his Arrival to the Queens Miniſters, who went afterwards to viſit and complement him upon it. The ſame Day Baron Hontheim, that